

As part of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, the U.S. Department of Energy is providing funding to states and territories to support consumer rebate programs for ENERGY STAR qualified appliances. Under these programs, consumers can receive rebates to purchase energy-efficient appliances when they replace used appliances. Eligibility guidelines, covered products, and rebate amounts differ by state, so consumers should review program requirements carefully.



CONNECTICUT

State of Connecticut, Office of Policy and Management

REBATES AVAILABLE

Rebates for eligible products began January 25, 2010, and end April 30, 2010 (Phase I). If funds for the rebate program are still available, the state will implement a Phase II. Before making a purchase, confirm funding and requirements with the [program sponsor](#) listed in the HOW TO APPLY section.

PRODUCT		REQUIREMENTS	AMOUNT
AIR CONDITIONERS	Central	Has a Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ratio (SEER) of at least 15.*	\$500
	Room	ENERGY STAR qualified.	\$50
Clothes Washers		Has a Modified Energy Factor (MEF) of at least 2.0. Has a Water Factor (WF) of not more than 6.0.*	\$100
Freezers		ENERGY STAR qualified.	\$50
Heat Pumps (Air-Source)		Must have a heating seasonal performance factor of at least 8.5, an Energy Efficiency Ratio (EER) of at least 12.5, and a Seasonal Energy Efficiency Ratio (SEER) of at least 15.*	\$500
Refrigerators		ENERGY STAR qualified.	\$50

*Exceeds current ENERGY STAR criteria.

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HOW TO APPLY

Consumers can obtain a rebate application at retail locations. Rebate applications will also be available on the utility partner Web sites, on the state's energy information Web site, or by calling the local utility company. Consumers must apply for rebates within 30 days of purchase.

Rebates will be paid on a first-come, first-served basis. Rebates will be issued to consumers within 60 days of receipt of a complete application packet.

Consumers may contact their local utility company for additional information.

For more information: www.ct.gov/opm/ApplianceRebates

ELIGIBILITY

Consumers must be a residential electric customer of either Connecticut Light & Power, United Illuminating Co., or Connecticut Municipal Electric Energy Cooperative. Appliances must be installed in the State of Connecticut, must replace existing appliances, and must be installed by a licensed contractor, when applicable. Purchase, replacement, and installation must take place during the program effective dates (January 25, 2010, to April 30, 2010, for Phase I). Rebate amount cannot exceed 50 percent of the cost of the product. Limit three room air conditioner rebates per household; limit one rebate per other appliance per household.

RESOURCES

DOE Energy Savers

www.energysavers.gov

ENERGY STAR Rebate Finder

www.energystar.gov/rebatefinder

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DOE Recovery Act Hotline
1-888-DOE-RCVY (1-888-363-7289)
www.energysavers.gov/rebates